

EXHIBIT A

Stages Of Egg Production

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Raising Breeder Flocks
to produce fertilized eggs

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Hatching & Sorting
21 days after egg is laid

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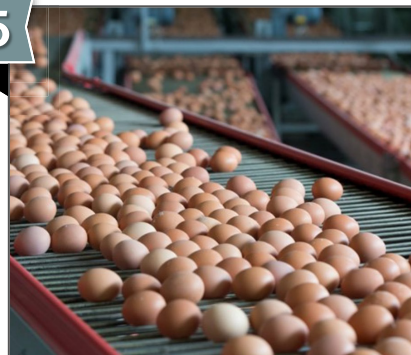
Growing Female Chickens
to egg-age (approx. 17 weeks)

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Egg Laying
approximately 2 years

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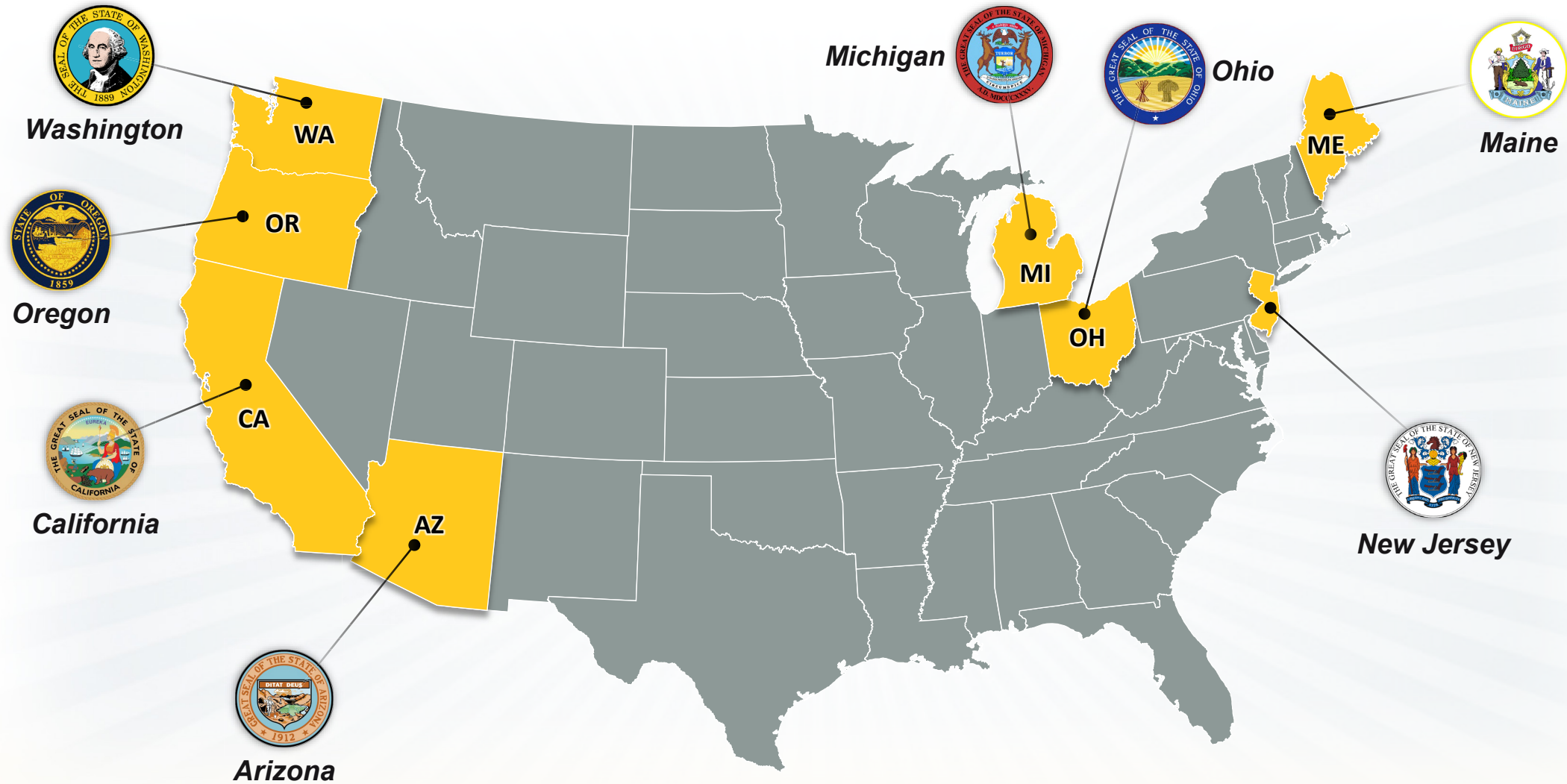
Shell Eggs
processing, packaging
and distribution

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Breaking Eggs
cleaning, breaking, culling,
blending, pasteurizing and
further processing

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N.J. Admin. Code. § 2:8-4.4

Passed: Dec 4, 2006

Effective: Dec 4, 2006

LAW REQUIRES:

- Cage housing, not including transport crates, shall be:

Of sufficient size to allow each bird to stand upright in the cage without having its head protrude through the top of the cage, lie down, get up, walk, spread its wings, move its head freely, turn around and rest

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Proposition 2

Approved: Nov 4, 2008

Effective: Jan 1, 2015

Cal Health & Saf Code § 25996

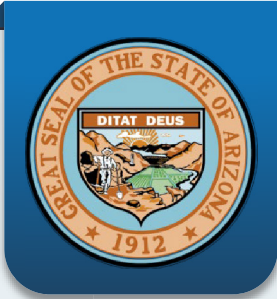
Enacted: Jul 6, 2010

Effective: Jan 1, 2015

LAW REQUIRES:

- Egg-laying hens shall be provided enough space to fully spread both wings without touching the side of a cage or another hen
- All eggs produced in and sold into state must comply
- Egg-laying hens shall be provided a minimum of 116 square inches of floor space per bird

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Ariz. Admin. Code § R3-2-907

Passed: Nov 14, 2008

Effective: Oct 1, 2009

LAW REQUIRES:

- All egg-laying hens in this state shall be raised according to the United Egg Producers Animal Husbandry Guidelines
- All eggs sold in this state produced by hens shall be from hens raised according to the United Egg Producers Animal Husbandry Guidelines. All eggs shall display the United Egg Producers Certified logo on their cases, cartons, and containers, or the egg dealer shall annually provide the Department with a copy of a current independent third-party audit that demonstrates that the eggs were produced by hens raised according to UEP Animal Husbandry Guidelines

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Mich. Comp. Laws §287.746

Enacted: Oct 12, 2009

Effective: Oct 12, 2019

LAW REQUIRES:

Egg-laying hens shall be provided a minimum of 144 square inches of floor space per bird

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**Ohio Rev. Code Ann. §§ 904.02
and 904.03(A)**

Enacted: Mar 31, 2010

Effective: Sep 29, 2011

Ohio Admin. Code 901:12-9-03

Passed: Mar 31, 2010

Effective: Sep 29, 2016

LAW REQUIRES:

- Installation of new conventional cages is prohibited except at existing farms
- New conventional cage systems on existing farms must provide 67 square inches per hen
- Existing conventional cage systems must provide house/barn average of 67 square inches per hen

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**State of Maine Best
Management Practices for
Poultry Facilities of More
than 10,000 Birds**

Revised: June 22, 2010
Effective: June 22, 2010

BEST PRACTICES REQUIRE:

Egg-laying hens shall be provided a minimum of 67 square inches of space. That space allowance is calculated on a per hen basis for facilities constructed after January 1, 2010 and on a house-average basis for existing facilities.

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Wash. Rev. Code §69.25.065

Enacted: May 10, 2011

Effective: Aug 1, 2012

LAW REQUIRES:

- Until January 1, 2026, all eggs sold in intrastate commerce must be produced according to the UEP guidelines for conventional cage systems or cage free Systems
- Until January 1, 2017, for all eggs sold in intrastate commerce that were produced in housing systems built between January 1, 2012, and December 31, 2016, those systems must have been compliant with, or convertible to, the American Humane Association (AHA) facility system plan for enriched colony housing

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**Oregon Revised Statute
§§ 632.840 and 632.850**

**Or. Admin. R. 603-018-0005 &
Or. Admin. R. 603-018-0010**

Enacted: Jun 17, 2011

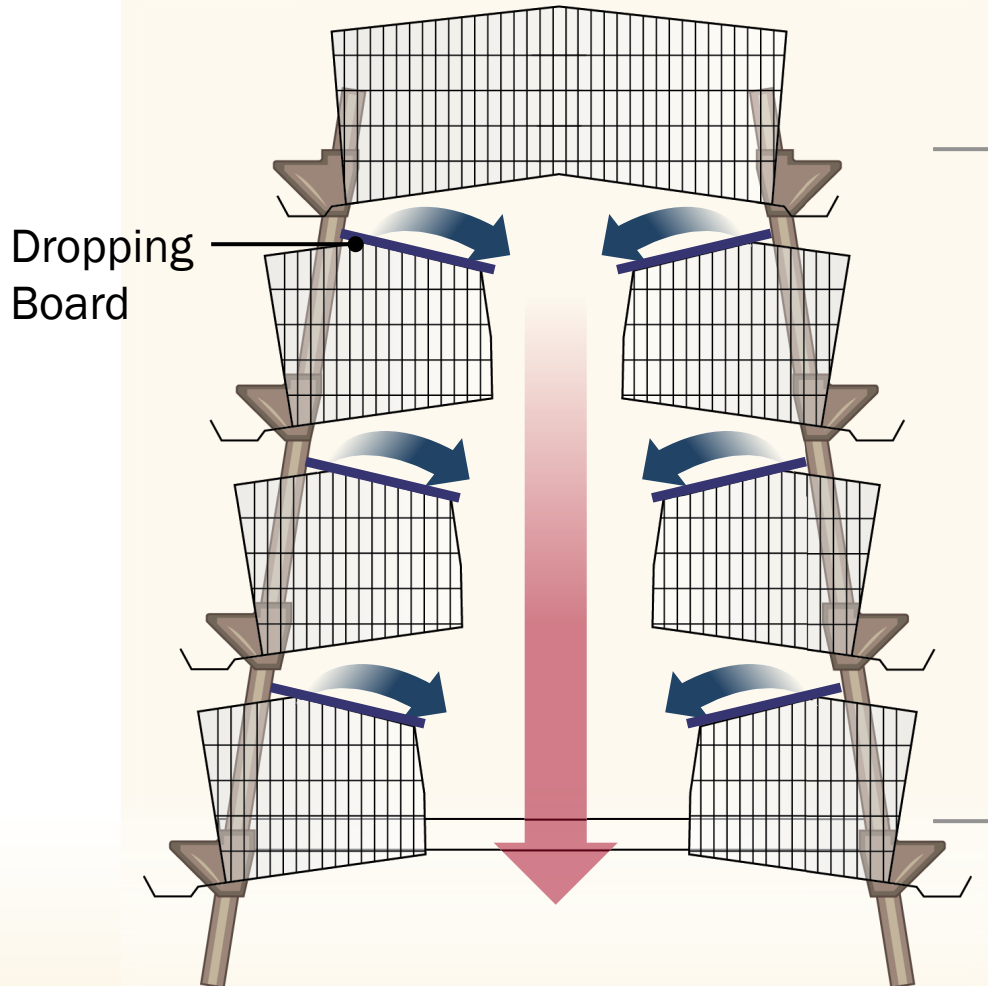
Effective: Jan 1, 2012

LAW REQUIRES:

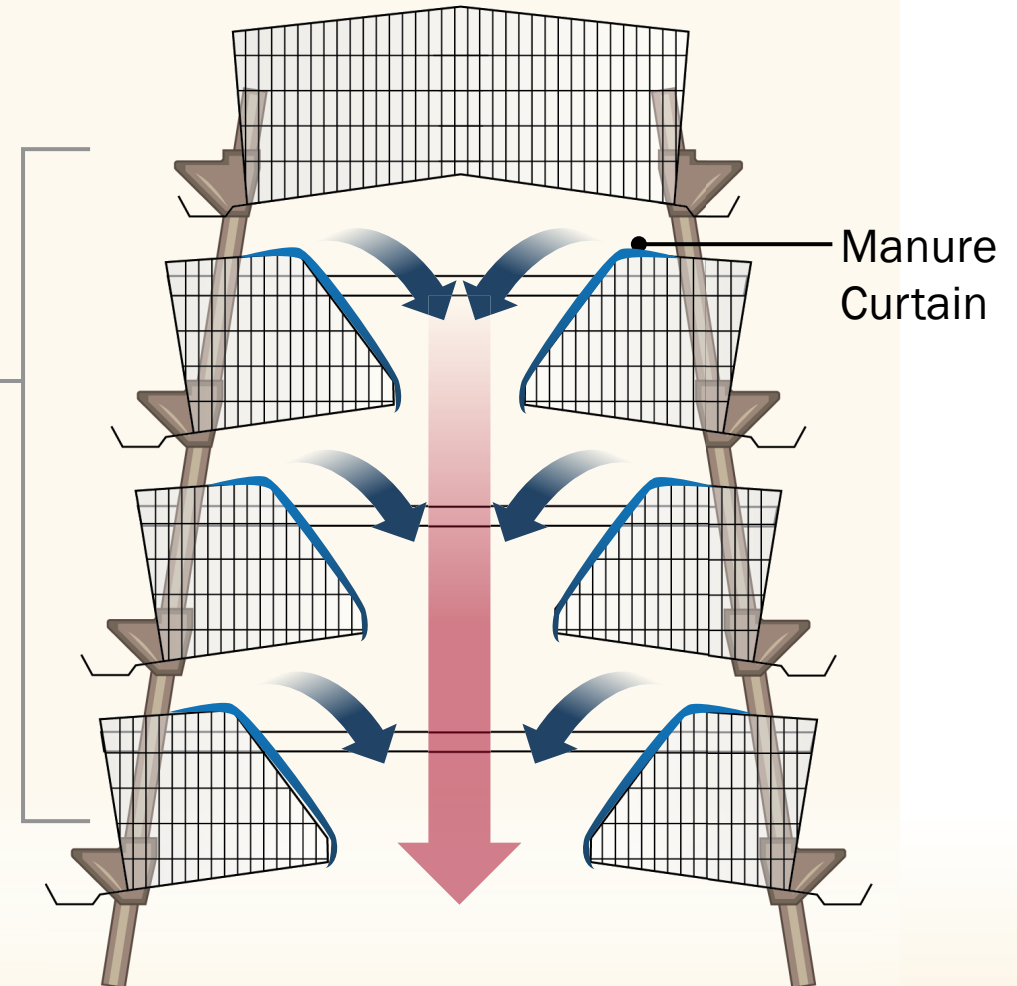
- Structures built/acquired before January 1, 2012, must meet the UEP Guidelines for space per hen
- Structures built/acquired after January 1, 2012, must meet or be convertible to the AHA Guidelines for space per hen (116.3 sq. in.)
- Eggs and egg products from hens confined in noncompliant cages may not be sold in or into Oregon

A-Frame Systems Used At Rose Acre Farms

Dropping Board System



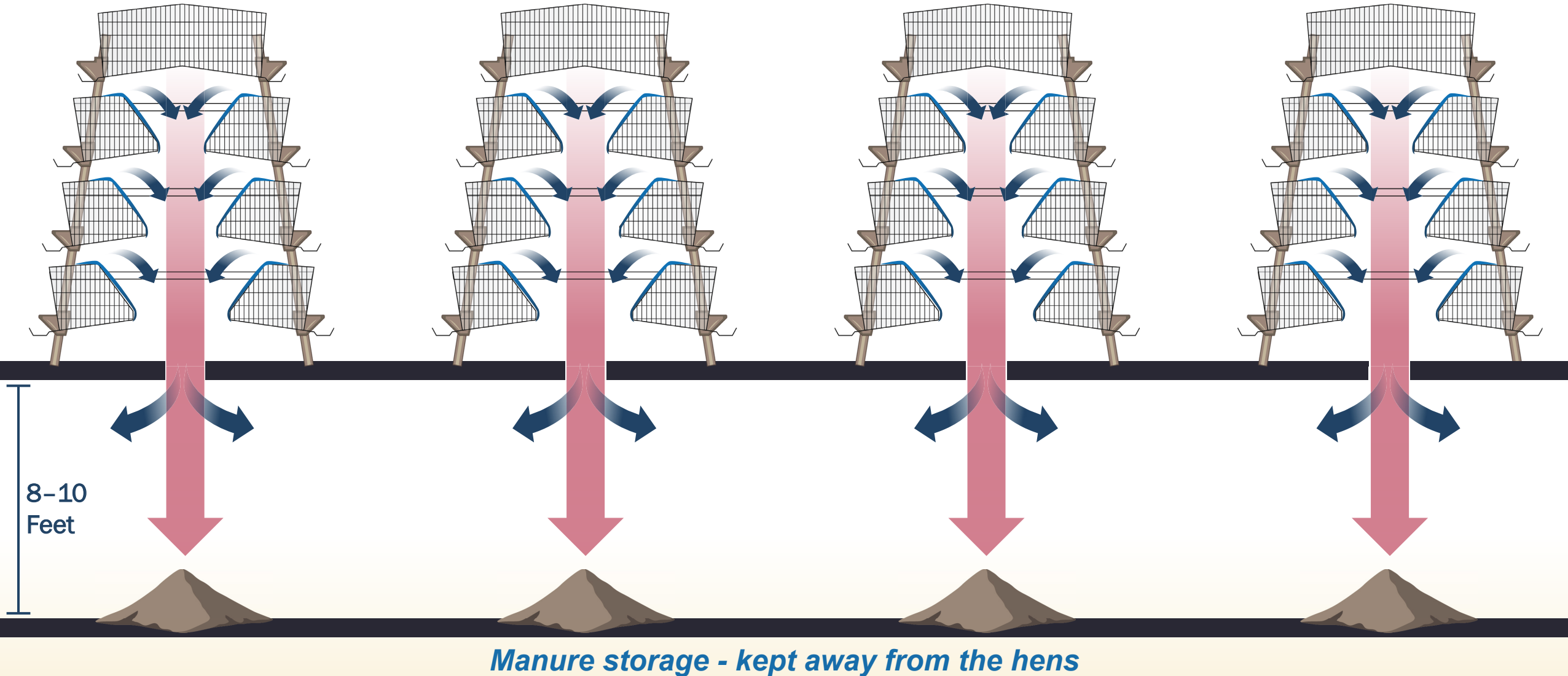
Manure Curtain System



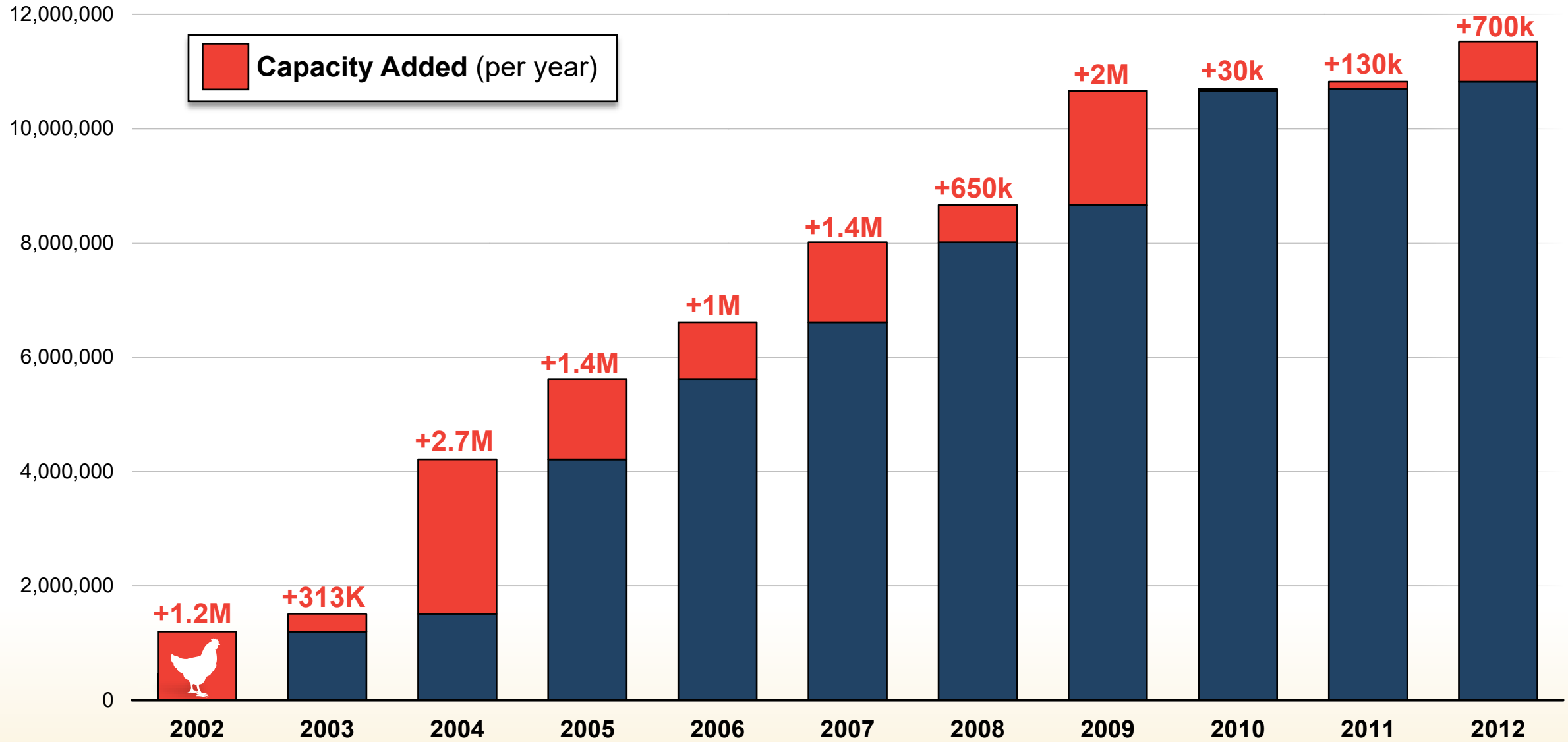
Systems are built
so that cages are
not directly over
one another

side-view of systems

Example Of A-Frame System Set-up



Rose Acre's Capacity Expansion



Rose Acre Grew



New Greenfield Farms



Added Houses To Existing Farms



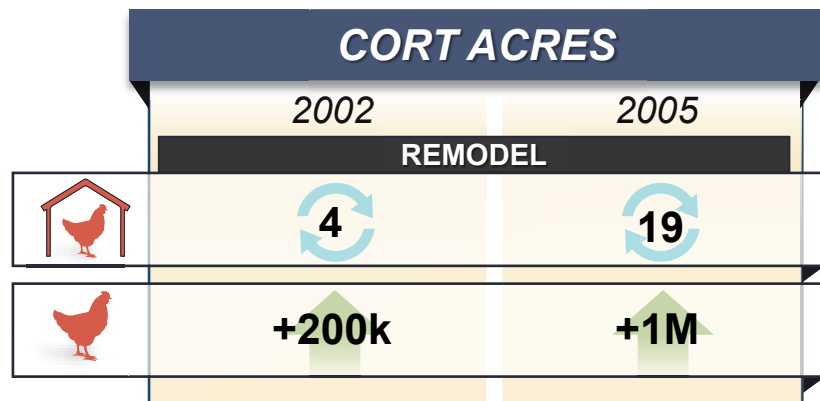
Expanded Existing Houses



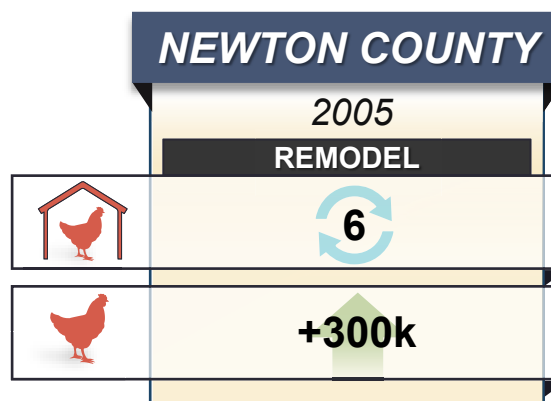
Expanded Acquired Farms

Rose Acre's Expansion

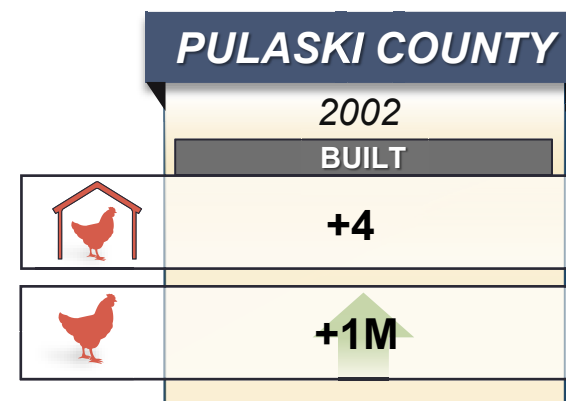
CORT ACRES



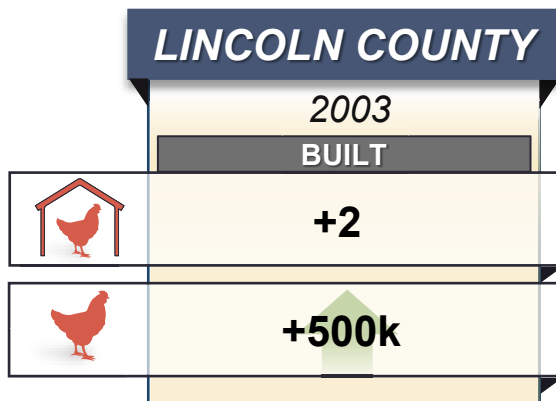
NEWTON COUNTY



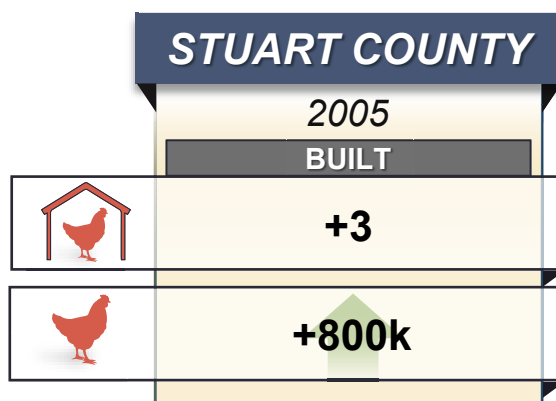
PULASKI COUNTY



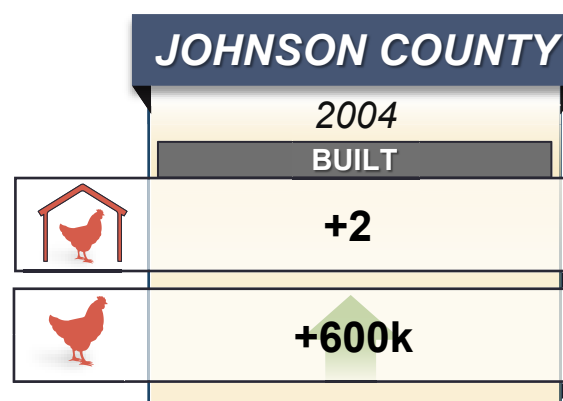
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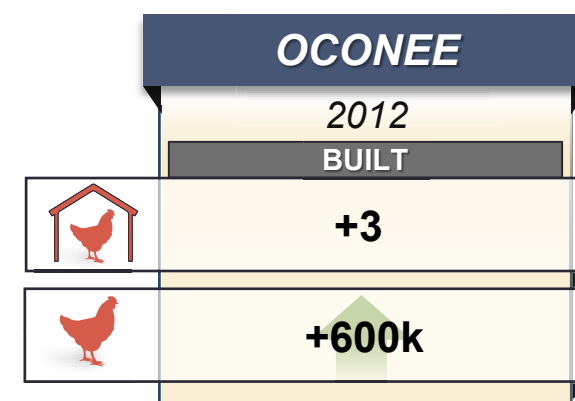
STUART COUNTY











JOHNSON COUNTY







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Rose Acre's Expansion

DONOVAN		COUNTY LINE		GERMANTOWN		JEN ACRES PLUS	
2004 BUILT		2004 ACQUIRED		2004 ACQUIRED	2006 BUILT	2008 BUILT	
	13		7		5		7
	200k		1.1M		600k		1.1M
					+2		
					+400k		

CRYSTAL FARM		HYDE COUNTY			
2009 ACQUIRED		2006 BUILT	2007 BUILT	2008 BUILT	2009 BUILT
	12		+3	+3	+3
	1.2M		+825k	+825k	+825k

Plaintiffs' Calculations

	2002 Flock Size
CORT ACRE	2,743,040
JEN ACRE	1,737,240
NEWTON COUNTY	1,748,096
PULASKI COUNTY	2,551,392
WHITE COUNTY	2,018,160
WINTERSET	1,503,360
GUTHRIE CENTER	2,021,760
STUART	741,888
LINCOLN COUNTY	1,318,920
JOHNSON COUNTY	1,376,880
TOTAL	17,760,736

Corrected

2002 Capacity
2,674,148
1,736,140
1,743,532
2551392
2,018,160
1,503,360
2,026,944
741,888
1,057,920
1,376,880
17,430,364

Plaintiffs'

2008 Flock Size
3,156,996
1,322,188
1,471,264
2,030,955
1,606,490
1,196,700
1,609,356
1,331,910
1,010,139
1,676,938
16,412,936

Oconee
Donovan
Germantown
County Line
Jen Acres Plus
Hyde County
TOTAL

*Not included by
Plaintiffs*

Corrected

1,267,683
200,000
876,380
886,762
100,000
2,475,000
22,218,761

ACTUAL:

Difference	% Change
482,848	18%
-413,952	-24%
-272,268	-16%
-520,437	-20%
-411,670	-20%
-306,660	-20%
-417,588	-21%
590,022	80%
-47,781	-5%
300,058	22%

-324,849	
200,000	
876,380	
886,762	
100,000	
2,475,000	
3,195,865	+17%

Egg Production At Rose Acre Farms


Dozens Produced

